

STATE OF NEVADA

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC WORKSHOP

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Nevada Division of Environmental Protection will hold a public workshop to provide an opportunity for comment on proposed revisions to the Nevada Administrative Code (NAC) governing the Clean Water State Revolving Fund for construction of wastewater treatment and pollution control projects.

Revisions to the regulation are intended to make program elements of the Clean Water and Drinking Water State Revolving Fund more consistent. The proposed revisions also remove the requirement that project design be completed prior to project funding. The removal of this requirement will allow communities, which cannot afford up front engineering cost, to utilize state revolving funds for such activities. The proposed regulation also removes confusing language for calculating fixed amounts for planning and design costs.

This regulation will not have an immediate or long-term adverse economic impact on the public or the business community. There will be no additional costs to the agency for enforcement of the proposed regulation and the regulation does not overlap, duplicate or conflict with any regulations of other government agencies. The regulation does not address fees.

The proposed revisions are available on the State Environmental Commissions website at <u>http://sec.nv.gov/main/hearing_1210.htm</u> (SEC Reference P2010-05).

The workshop is scheduled to be held at the following location and time:

December 1, 2010 at 10:00 AM 901 S. Stewart St. 4th Floor, South Conference Room Carson City, Nevada

The proposed revisions will be presented to the State Environmental Commission for adoption at their next meeting on December 7, 2010.

Comments may be submitted by FAX to (775) 687-9510 or in writing to the address below. Questions regarding this notice, the workshop, or State Revolving Fund issues may be directed to Adele Basham at (775) 687-9488.

Reasonable accommodation will be made for members of the public who are disabled and wish to attend the workshop. If special arrangements are necessary, please notify the Office of Financial Assistance at (775) 687-9436, at least 24 hours prior to the date of the workshop.

A copy of this notice and the proposed revisions are available for review and/or may be copied at the following location during normal business hours:

Division of Environmental Protection 901 S. Stewart St., 4th floor Carson City, Nevada

Copies of this notice have also been posted at the following locations: Division of Environmental Protection, 901 S. Stewart St., Carson City Division of Environmental Protection Las Vegas Office, 2030 E. Flamingo Rd, Ste 230 Nevada State Library, 100 N. Stewart St., Carson City

The notice and the proposed revisions may also be viewed on the Nevada Division of Environmental Protection's public notice website at: <u>http://ndep.nv.gov/admin/public.htm</u>